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TAGS: CVIS, PINT, FW
SUBJECT: BURNETT-ALLEYNE TRIAL

REF: MARTINIQUE 0010

1. SYDNEY BURNETT-ALLEYNE AND RUSSELL CLOUSTON WERE SENTENCED IN FORT-DE-FRANCE TO TWO YEARS IMPRISONMENT ON MARCH 25 AND FINED ABOUT 50,000 FRANCS FOR ARMS SMUGGLING AND OFFENSES AGAINST CUSTOMS LAWS. LOCAL AUTHORITIES TOLD US THE SENTENCE WILL BE APPEALED AND WILL LIKELY BE MUCH REDUCED. BURNETT-ALLEYNE MADE NO ALLEGATIONS ABOUT CIA CONNECTIONS DURING TRIAL.

2. THEY ALSO STATE THAT THE BARBADOS GOVERNMENT REQUESTED BURNETT-ALLEYNE'S EXTRADITION, BUT THE GOF IN PARIS HAS DECLINED THE REQUEST ON TWO GROUNDS. THERE IS NO EXTRADITION TREATY AND THE OFFENSE WHICH THEY WOULD BE CHARGED WITH IN BARBADOS WOULD BE "POLITICAL" AND AS SUCH NOT EXTRADITABLE UNDER FRENCH LAW. WHEN BURNETT-ALLEYNE IS RELEASED HERE HE WILL BE EXPELLED AND WILL BE FREE TO TRAVEL WHEREVER HE WISHES. AUTHORITIES HAVE AGREED TO GIVE US IN DUE COURSE BURNETT-ALLEYNE'S PASSPORT IN ORDER TO REVOKE THE VISA ISSUED TO HIM AT BRIDGETOWN. AS FAR AS WE CAN SEE, THIS ABOUT CLOSES THE BURNETT-ALLEYNE AFFAIR IN MARTINIQUE, ALTHOUGH HE WILL BE HERE UNTIL APPEAL PROCESS
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